

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Applicant:  | Clark                                     | Examiner:       | McIntosh III   |
| Serial No.: | 10/828,753                                | Group Art Unit: | 1623           |
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant requests that the Examiner consider the pending claims of the present application in view of the pending claims of U.S. Application No. 11/854,218, filed September 12, 2007, which is a divisional application for the present application. Applicant has attached a copy of the claims contained in a Preliminary Amendment filed September 12, 2007 in 11/854,218 for the Examiner's consideration. The Examiner should be aware that the claims of 11/854,218 are comparable to original claims 31-41, which were restricted (see Group V claims) in the Restriction Requirement dated September 5, 2006.

Applicant has concurrently filed a modified Form-1449 that lists 11/854,218. This form also lists copending applications: 11/353,597; 11/225,425; and 11/635,898 each of which was cited in an Information Disclosure Statement filed September 24, 2007. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the claims of each of the presently and previously cited applications and in the next Office communication return the modified Form-1449 acknowledging consideration of the same.

Applicant notes that 11/854,218 was not known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. Accordingly, no fee is believed to be due for the present Information Disclosure Statement. The fee for consideration of 11/353,597; 11/225,425; and 11/635,898 was submitted in the Information Disclosure Statement filed September 24, 2007. If necessary, please charge any additional fees for the papers being filed herewith to deposit account number 13-2725.



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